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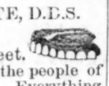
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But it is Hard to Decline.

"A kiss is but a common noun," cried Sue!
"Yes, very common," artlessly cried Lou;
"Yet, if 'tis common, it is proper, too?"
Cried Mamie—a twinkle in her eyes of blue.
"It can't be both!" said Mable, much perplexed;
And so they argued out the question vexed,
To one thing each at last made up her mind;
A kiss was something hard to be declined.

The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shoat, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell the what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am now sound and well, gaining 20 pounds in weight."

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FOR OUR MERCHANTS.

O merchant, in thine hours of E E E,
If on this paper you should C C C,
Take our advice, and now be Y Y Y,
Go straightway out and advert I I I,
You'll find the project of some U U U,
Neglect can offer no ex Q Q Q,
Be wise at once, prolong your d A A A,
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THE EDITOR'S CHAIR.

HOW THINGS LOOK FROM OUR STAND POINT.

The Opinion of The Caucasian and the Opinion of others which we Can Endorse on the Various Topics of the Day.

The Republicans in Congress have presented their bill for the reduction of the tariff. The schedule they have arranged will reduce the income of the government between seventeen and nineteen million dollars without giving the farmers any relief. In fact they have increased it on some articles of prime necessity. The duty on tin ware has been increased to 22½ cents per lb. There is an increase of duty on cutlery and woollen cloth and clothing. The duty on agricultural seeds has been increased, while protections to rice, a southern product, has been withdrawn to the amount of 2 cents per pound. The tax on salt, earthen and glass ware still stands. In short the price of many article used by the farmers have been increased, while the price of none has been decreased, save brown sugar.

Prince Bismark, the iron chancellor of Germany, has resigned. The young Emperor William and his father's old Prime minister could not agree.

Now since the balance wheel is removed from the hot headed and impetuous young Emperor, all Europe may expect trouble. A St. Petersburg paper, in an article on Prince Bismarck's retirement, declares "that the solitary support of the edifice of European peace has crumbled." Genl. Von Caprivi succeeds to the chancellor ship.

Even the baby State of North Dakota is opposed to the Blair bill. Mr. Pierce, one of the Senators from that State, made a speech against it Wednesday, and said it would be time enough to give attention to educational bills when "the farmers had been saved from ruin and the old soldier from beggary." The Republican Solons are making pretty fair progress in "saving the old soldier from beggary," with a fair prospect of knocking the bottom out of the Treasury, but they are not making much progress in "saving the farmers from ruin." They are not taking so much stock in the farmers as they are in the protected monopolists, who furnish the boodle to run political campaigns. It is encouraging, however, to note the fact that even some Republican statesmen are beginning to acknowledge that something should be done to save the farmers from ruin.—Wil. Star

Educate! organize! These are the watchwords of the hour.

In all the States in which elections have been recently held the Democrats have been victorious.

This is not accidental, but it is the natural result of education, organization and efficient management.

The most striking feature of the tariff is that the more it protects the more the people are exposed to suffering. After a while it will be called a tariff for hardship instead of a tariff for protection.—Norfolk Landmark.

Good! Grand-dady Blair is squeldhed. The Senate voted against his educational bill 37 to 31. Two years ago the bill would have passed, Time and wind have done the work.

How cities are built? In one word, it has been done and can only be done by using printer's ink.—Southport Leader.

A man of one idea is not to be despised if his idea is a good one.

NON-DEBT-PAYING BAPTIST.

Can they be Christians?

The Biblical Recorder says: Not long since, we sent a bill to Brother Boykin of Baltimore to collect for us. After a reasonable time he sent us the following letter, which we print to set the brethren to thinking:

Dr. C. T. Bailey:—I fear very much that the claim you sent me sometime ago for collection is "N. G." And I was sorry to learn that the man who owes it, is a member of —— church. Our good old democratic church is not sufficiently stringent with its members about paying their just debts. Our firm has lost a very large amount of money in the past few years by having too much confidence in customers who are Baptists—Some of them prominent in the church I do not mean to say that a man who does not pay his debts, in all cases, is not fit to be a member, or cannot be a Christian. But I do say that a man who can, and does not, pay his debts, and is thoroughly indifferent to the fact as to whether the debt is paid or not, and makes little or no effort to adjust the same, is, in my opinion, unfit to be a member of the church of Christ. Our new mayor of Baltimore, who, by the by, is a good Baptist and a "no-owe" man, takes the correct view of this matter, and recently issued an order that he wanted no man in office, or employed in any of the departments, who did not pay his debts, or was indifferent to the payment of the same. Our mayor has been in the wholesale dry goods business, and knows what it is to have customers who did not pay their debts. He makes a good mayor, and his action in this matter is worthy of being imitated by others in authority. Yours truly,

THOS. J. BOYKIN.

PAN-AMERICAN DELEGATES COMING SOUTH.

About twenty delegates to the Pan-American Conference, have thus far, signified their acceptance of the invitation sent them by Secretary Blaine to visit the Southern States as guests of the Government. The places which will be visited are: Norfolk, Newport News, Fortress, Monroe, Richmond, Charleston, Augusta, Macon, Savannah, Jacksonville, St. Augustine, Tampa, Pensacola, Mobile, New Orleans, Birmingham, Chattanooga, Memphis, Nashville and Knoxville. North Carolina is given the go-by.

The entire time occupied by the trip will not exceed three weeks, and the itinerary will be so arranged as to have the delegates spend Sunday at Fort Monroe and St. Augustine. The arrangements for the tour are now being made by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and the schedule will be constructed by tourist agent Draper, who had charge of the tour through the North and West last October and November.

REV. W. B. POPE.

At the M. E. church Thursday evening, March 6, by Rev. G. A. Landon, Rev. W. B. Pope to Miss Lou McGuire. Both parties are well known in the city: the groom as pastor of the Baptist church for some time past, the bride as one of the teachers in the city schools, and both are popular in the highest and best social circle of the city for their real merit.

In common with numerous friends the Review wishes all the above parties much joy and happiness as they encounter the stern realities of life's duties.—Olympia (Washington) Review.

Mr. Pope is a subscriber to THE CAUCASIAN, a graduate of Wake Forest College and is well known to the people of Sampson, Duplin and other counties.

HARRISON, DUDLEY, QUAY & CO., DID IT.

It is a fact that the following cities in New York State have Democratic Mayors:

New York, Brooklyn, Albany, Amsterdam, Binghampton, Buffalo, Cohoes, Dunkirk, Elmira, Hornelisville, Hudson, Ithica, Long Island City, Middletown, Newburg, Oswego, Rochester, Rome, Schenectady, Troy, Utica, Watertown and Yonkers.

Auburn, Jamestown, Lockport, Ogdensburg, Poughkeepsie and Syracuse are the only cities which have Republican Mayors.—Wil. Messenger.

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WOMAN'S SPHERE.

DRESS.

It is every woman's duty, first to herself, second to her family, and third to society to appear neat, attractive and to an advantage in every way possible.

The Points of Effect and Defect.

As a straw shows which way the wind blows, so are we prone to draw deductions from trifles, and jump to big conclusions. The trifles are small and the conclusions are sometimes right and sometimes wrong.

There is no case in which we do this more than in judging a lady by her dress. We see a woman occasionally for a few minutes or an hour at church, on the streets or elsewhere and we instinctively, almost unconsciously, pass judgment of good breeding and refinement or the contrary according as her appearance impresses.

Since a woman is judged by her dress, let her be careful as to details, for these will tell far more of her breeding than the dress itself. A really refined woman will show her refinement and breeding in her dress by always wearing neat gloves, neat shoes, clean linen at throat and wrists, and a fine linen handkerchief. She will have in mind the French saying that to be well gloved and well shod is to be well dressed, and she cannot help having a fondness for dainty bits of lace and fine sheer handkerchiefs. No matter how large the hand or foot if they are neatly covered; the most perfect hands and feet are repulsive to the eye if covered with soiled or torn gloves and shabby shoes. If the glove must be shabby it need not be torn. Even if one's means are small, there is no excuse for carelessness.

The plain linen collar and cuffs are cheap and produce a stylish effect when becoming. Fancy fragile ruching suits more faces than the linen collar, but is more expensive, and can at most be worn only a few times.

Rumpled or soiled ruchings give the whole toilet a dishevelled appearrnce, and no well-bred woman should ever permit herself to wear them.

Fine linen handkerchief is indespensable. Never mind lace or embroidery, they are of small consequence; but the handkerchief itself must be of fine material. To see a handsomely dressed woman take out of her pocket a coarse, or soiled handkerchief, is to stamp her at once in the eyes of many as a vulgar person, and it kills the effect of her dress. To complete a handsome and perfect costume the details must be as perfect as the costume itself. A woman must understand this herself. She cannot depend upon her dressmaker. She must herself regulate there details. A really plain woman may be attractive, even in a six-penny calico, if it be finished with dainty ruchings at the neck and wrists, if she wear neat gloves and boots, and if her handkerchief be of fine linen. A vulgar woman will content her soul with a gorgeous gown and think that she is making a fine impression, even although she wear coarse lace, uncouth shoes and shabby gloves. It is easy enough to buy handsome material, if one has the money, but it requires something more than money to furnish the details.

When I see a silk dress and a coarse ill fitting pair of shoes on the same woman at the same time, I always shiver and prepare myself to hear a boistrous laugh or Billingsgate slang emanate from the mouth of the aforesaid woman.

Many women think that men do not notice details in a woman's dress, but it really is the details that make or mar the whole, and if men take in the whole effect, they unconsciously take in the details. And what man does not notice a pretty foot or a tiny hand? They are not "up" in materials perhaps, and cannot tell imitation lace from real, but they know a tidy dress from a slovenly one, and a clean collar from a soiled one.

It is better to have a dress of some simple and inexpensive material, and have the boots, gloves, laces and handkerchiefs just what they should be than to have a dress of expensive material and shabby or tawdry details. It is never economy to buy cheap shoes or gloves, as every woman knows.

THE TABLE.

It has been said, "there are but a few things on which health and happiness depend more than on the manner in which food is cooked."

"The art of living well is so little understood that we keep the doctors busy a good part of their time. If we knew what to eat, when and how to dress and serve it and where to get it from, we might eat, drink and be merry. I often hear people come into a breakfast room in the morning and say: "I feel so badly! I don't believe I can eat anything! I don't know what can be the matter with me!" I know what's the matter with 'em, but it wouldn't do for me to speak right out in meetin' and tell 'em so. They soon give a practical illustration of their ailment by sitting wearily down to the table, ordering a meal that might, could, would or should kill a mule, eating it, as it were, by main force and awkwardness, and then wondering why they feel worse!

Yes that man is eating himself to death, but probably it would take him longer to do it and with less grumbling if the culinary department had done its duty. It is not the size of a man's grocery-bill that shows how he fares at the table, but it is the items that constitute it and the manner of their preperation for the palate. I know two girls, one of whom spends two or three times as much for dress as the other, yet the latter always appers better dressed and more stylish; and methinks that the men who marries these girls will find the same relative difference between grocery bills and table fare.

FASHION NOTES.

(From Godey's Lady's Book.)

Embroideries have never been more numerous and rich.

Among the new and fashionable tints the violet shades rank high. Not the heliotrope of past days, but real violet.

Byzantine embroideries are very fashionable, especially those smothered with imitation jewels, which decorate bonnets and evening gowns.

Mancla yellow is extremely fashionable for hats and bonnets. Not, of course, used alone, but a little of it used in combination with black or brown.

Horizontal striped materials are employed as trimmings upon plain fabrics. A dress of blue cloth is pretty with the skirt cut all round by inserted panels in blue and white material, the stripes being horizontal.

Tartan is in great request for children's wear as well as for their elders. For the younger ones it is used for the entire costume, while only as a trimming for their elders.

Pointed lace trimming is very popular for different uses. Passementerie designs and braiding are both copied from this, some with a very good effect.

AN IMPORTANT MEETING.

Hon. Spier Whitaker, Chairman of the Democratic State Executive Committee, has called a meeting of the committee in Raleigh on the 10th of June. A date for holding the State Convention will be determined upon.

The following are the members of the Executive Committee from the 3rd District.

Capt. W. A. Johnson, T. H. Sutton, I. F. Dorth, Dr. W. T. Ennett.

The following gentlemen compose the Central Executive Committee: Hon. Spier Whitaker, chairman; Paul B. Means, Armstead Jones, Samuel Wilder, T. L. Emery, P. F. Faison, D. B. Nicholson, C. B. Watson, M. E. Carter and W. E. Ashley.

AFTER SHYLOCK.

Idaho and Wyoming will be admitted to Statehood because it is believed they will go Republican, but Arizona and New Mexico are to be denied admission for the reason that they are Democratic. The partisan Republican is about as broad-minded and liberal an individual as was the Shylock of Shakespeare.

In the first year of his Administration President Harrison has made or sanctioned over 34,000 changes in post-masters for political reason. This is the same Elder Harrison who said in his letter of acceptance that "fitness and not party service should be the discriminating test, and fidelity and efficiency the only sure tenure of office."—N. Y. World.

Our Farmers' Column.

SOMETHING INTERESTING TO THOSE WHO TILL THE SOIL.

"There is no material progress that is well based and permanent without agricultural progress."

FARMERS' INSTITUTE FOR SAMPSON.

To be Held 4th and 5th of April.

The letter below from Commissioner John Robinson explains itself:

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
Raleigh, N. C., Mar. 20, '90.

Messrs. W. K. Pigford, President, and Marion Butler, Secretary Sampson County Agricultural Society, Clinton, N. C.:

Dear Sirs—Your invitation to hold a Farmers' Institute in your county at our earliest convenience, received. I fix the date for your county on the 4th and 5th days of April next. Will be assisted in the Institute work by Profs. Massey and Chamberlain of A. and M. College. Hope that many of your farmers will be present and join in the discussions. I should have written you sooner, but desired to send a programme which is not yet ready, but which I will send in time to be published.

Sincerely yours,
JOHN ROBINSON, Com'r.

Why Farmers Fail.

An Iowa farmer in the Homestead gives the following reasons:

First—The markets, or consumers, are too far from producers.

Second—Too high railroad freight rates.

Third—Too high rates of interest on borrowed capital.

Fourth—Too many dogs and wolves in the country and not enough sheep.

Fifth—Too much fashion, too much whiskey and tobacco, and not enough enterprise.

Sixth—Too high lawyer and doctor fees and not enough general intelligence.

Seventh—Too much party in politics and not enough principle.

Eighth—Too much listening to farmers' enemies and too little seeking for common sense as a guide.

Ninth—Business as now conducted gives the farmer no part in making prices. When he sells, the dealer makes the price of his produce; when he buys the merchant names the price he must pay, and both are generally against the farmer.

Spanish Peanuts.

Rocky Point, Pender Co., N.C., Feb. 21st, 1890. John Robinson, Commissioner:

Plant in May in rows three feet apart, drop one pea to the hill twelve inches apart. As soon as up plow with a cotton plow; in eight or ten days plow again, throwing dirt to the vines with a wing on the plow at each plowing. Keep the dirt up to the plants until laid by. Plant Spanish peanuts and chufas and in the fall you will have meat to keep and sell.

Respectfully, DANIEL SHAW.

Good Start.

Our people are on the right track; they are begining to make something to chew, but they must not stop at tobacco, though that is a good money crop; we must have something to swallow as well as to chew. It does not make any difference how much of a money crop our farmers make, if it takes it all to pay for food and other supplies we will continue to be poor. All hail to the tobacco interest. All hail the warehouse movement. Let it boom, ane let us have manufactories and save the profits in our own midst, but by all means let our farmers put in now plenty of corn, so we may save our money crops and have fat horses, hogs and cows. Then and not till then can we be a prosperous people.—Wilson Mirror

Readers of Henry Cabot Lodge's "Life of Alexander Hamilton" were struck by the author's undisguised admiration for the extreme theory of centralization as laid down by its high priest who fell in a duel with Aaron Burr. That Mr. Lodge is a consistent Hamiltonian is shown by his Federal Election bill. Blair, Reed, Lodge, President Harrison and other loose constructionists prove that the ancient heresies which warred against popular government are vital forces in the political life of to-day.—N. Y. World.

There are two things in this world nobody is ever prepared for—twins.

WORTHY EXAMPLES

By Wise Business Men With Capital.

The Charlotte Chronicle says: Col. W. H. S. Burgwyn, of Henderson, is an example to capitalists of North Carolina. Although unfamiliar with the tobacco manufacture, Col. Burgwyn has just completed a large plug tobacco factory in his town, to give as much employment to the labor of the town, as he himself explains, as possible while hoping for a reasonable interest on the investment.

Col. Burgwyn is an experienced banker, and doubtless knows as well as most men where he could have locked his money up in an 8 per cent. napkin, instead of lending it out, however, he has invested it, not without hope of reward, but so it would give employment to as many people as possible.

That's the way to make a town, and Henderson should be mighty proud of Col. Burgwyn.

Clinton has a parellel in Mr. A. F. Johnson. He is also a banker, but has invested his money in a mamonth Veneer factory not only giving employment to a regular little army of boys and girls, men and women, but also creating wealth by converting worthless woods into valuable and salable products. Let other men of capital heed the worthy examples of Mr. Johnson and Col. Burgwyn.

FOR THE EYES OF CLINTON'S BUSINESS MEN.

In 1888 the business men of a certain western town donated $12,000 every month during the whole year, or $144,000 for advertising their city; some firms subscribed $50 per month, many $25, scores gave $10 to $20 a month and every mother's son in the town gave something."

The returns for this immense outlay has been such as to build up a great commercial city as by magic. Excursions as being planned and large delegations are taken free of expense from the East to the West. Only a few days ago, one citizen of Sioux City, Iowa, paid all the expenses of a party of one hundred from Massachusetts to Sioux City and return, including hotel bill, costing $7,000, to advertise and show the advantages of that city. These are not isolated cases but every other new city in the West is doing likewise, according to ability.

Let us see what is being done in the South. What has built up Birmingham, Ala., Chattanooga, Tenn., Florence, Ala., Asheville, N. C., Bristol, Tenn., and dozens of other cities in Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee and Virginia.

What shall we say of Middlesborough, Ky., whose location and name was unknown one year ago, now claiming a population of 10,000 with capital already invested in great enterprises to the extent of $1,500,000. These wonderful achievements have been inaugurated and pushed into activity by presenting facts to the world. Financial aid has been forthcoming from Europe and all moneyed centres as needed.

The moral of these facts is that a town seldom grows by chance of circumstances; the growth depends upon the people who live in it.

In discussing "The Sub-Treasury Plan" demanded by the Farmers' Alliance, the News and Observer says: The farmers see that by their industry larger crops are produced than ever before, and yet because prices are so low, their industry and their fine crops are unavailing to better their condition. They see manufactures flourishing and wealth amassed in manufacturing communities, while the agricultural portion of the country is reduced year by year to greater straits, and poverty threatens the most thrifty farmers, and the insatiable mortgate eats out their substance. In their dilemma they cast about for something to remedy the terrible evils that have overtaken them and they are led to propose a measure which they think will restore their prosperity. We regard their proposition as the earnest cry of distressed farmers for relief from the evils that beset them; and we will help carry the rope to them which they say will save them from shipwreck and disaster. The law has been made against the farmer; by it the farmer is oppressed; under it his earnings are taken away from him.

Children's Corner.

SOMETHING INTERESTING TO THE YOUNG READERS OF THE CAUCASIAN.

GOOD MORNING.

"Good morning, world!" On the window seat
She balanced her two little timid feet;
She clung with her dimpled hands and stood
Framed in like a picture of babyhood.
The clambering vines hung low and green
'Round the sunniest curls that ever were seen.
As she stood with beauty and light impearled,
And bade "Good morning" to all the world.
"Good morning, world!" and the great world heard;
Each rustling tree and each singing bird,
The dancing flowers and the fields of grass
Nodded and waved at the little lass;
And the far-off hill and the sky over head
Listened and beamed as the word was said:
And the old sun lifted his head and smiled—
"Good morning, world!" "Good morning, child!

Woman's Journal.

BABY HAS GONE TO SCHOOL.

The baby has gone to school!—ah, me!
What will the mother do,
With never a call to button or pin,
Or tie a little shoe?
How can she keep herself busy all day
With the little "hindering thing" away?

Another basket to fill with lunch,
Another "good-bye" to say,
And the mother stands at the door to see
Her baby march away,
And turns with a sigh that is half relief,
And half a something akin to grief.

She thinks of a possible future morn,
When the children one by one
Will go from their home out into the world
To battle with life alone,
And not even the baby be left to cheer
The desolate home of that future year.

She picks up garments here annd there,
Thrown down in careless haste,
And tries to think how it would seem
If nothing were displaced—
If the hours were always as still as this,
How could she bear the loneliness?

He Knew.

A teacher was telling her little boys about temptation and showing how it sometimes came in the most attractive attire. She used as an illustration the paw of a cat.

"Now," said she, "you have all seen the paw of a cat. It is as soft as velvet, isn't it?"

"Yessem," from the class.

"And you have seen the paw of a dog?" "Yessem."

"Well, although the cat's paw seems like velvet, there is, nevertheless, concealed in it something that hurts. What is it?"

No answer.

"The dog bites," said the teacher, "when he is angry, but what does the cat do?"

"Scratches," replied the boy.

"Correct," said the teacher, nodding her head approvingly. "Now, what has the cat that the dog hasn't?"

"Whiskers," said a boy on the back seat, and the titter that ran around the class brought the lesson to an end.

A Pretty Dress for a 12 year old Girl.

A dress of Bengaline: Side-plaited skirt with wide band of galloon; close-fitting body, with yoke made of plaitings of the material and rows of galloon; the front has straight sections of the material drawn from either shoulder across the front to the belt, which is of galloon; plain sleeves; collar and cuffs of galloon. Seven yards of Bengaline required.

Hon. J. C. Underwood, the Grand Sire of the I. O. O. F. in his speech at Raleigh said that the order he represented he would say without boasting was the largest in the universe. When the greatness of its membership was taken into consideration and the amount of money it devoted to benevolent purposes was considered some idea of its influence for good could be formed.

It is an institution that acts upon the hearts of its members. The fraternity feature of this institution is its grandest principle. It teaches the man of affluence how the man lives who resides in a hut with chinks in it that he can put his hand through. The Lodge teaches friendship. It annihilates strife. We do not make a parade of it, but we carry it out.

A lady, joking about her nose, said: "I had nothing to do in shaping it. It was a birthday present."

It iz just az natural to be born ritch as poor, but is seldom so convenient.—Josh Billings.

Dyspepsia's victims are numbered by thousands. So are those who have been restored to health by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

THE CAUCASIAN.

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18 months ago it was less than 800

Advertisers think of this.

CLINTON, N. C.,--MAR. 27, 1890.

The unique Wilson Mirror is in its ninth year.

Charlotte has decided to celebrate the 20th of May, this year in fine style.

The Kinston Free Press is eight years old, just seven months older than THE CAUCASIAN.

There is a motion before the British Parliament to abolish the House of Lords, at the same time the "Lords" might also be abolished.

The Trustees of Trinity have reconsidered and decided to locate the College at Durham, but Raleigh gets the State Baptist Female University.

The Wilmington Messenger C. F. & Y. V. edition of 28 pages is out. It is profusely illustrated and brim full of matter showing up the prospects along the line of the road and industries of Wilmington.

The proposed Southern Educational Association will be held at Morehead city, after the closing of the Teachers' assembly, from July 1st to July 6th. The National Educational association meets at Asheville during the latter part of the same month.

THE R. E. LEE MONUMENT.

(By United Press.)

Richmond, Va., March 19.—Gen. Jubal A Early has sent his check for $1,000 to the Lee monument board, to defray the expenses incident to the unveiling of the statue of General R. E. Lee on May 20. An urgent invitation is to be sent Mrs. Jeff Davis to be present at the unveiling.

The Centennial celebration of the Church organization of the Protestant Episcopal Church in North Carolina will be observed in Tarboro May 17, by a representation of the two Dioceses of North Carolina and East Carolina. It will be an imposing occasion and will probably attract a large number of clergymen and laymen of the Church. Rev. W. S. Pettegrew, grand-son of the first Bishop of the Diocese of North Carolina, will deliver an address on the early history of the church. Dr. K. P. Battle will deliver an address commemorating the lives and characters of the leading laymen of the church.

Mr. Edward Bellamy, the author of the queer book, "Looking Backward," of which so much has been written during the past year, in a letter just published, after speaking of vast inequalities in wealth produced by modern governments says there are one hundred men in the United States owning more property than the rest of their 65,000,000 fellow citizens. Fewer than 10,000 persons own the whole of New York city, having 2,000,000 inhabitants. Speaking of certain corrupt legislation, he says—The United States Senate is known as a 'rich men's club,' and in the lower House of Congress the schemes of capital have only to meet the sham opposition of the demagogue."

AUTRYVILLE AND ROSEBORO.

We spent some time last week in and near Autryville. It is a thriving little village and already a place of considerable trade. There are five stores completed, and three in operation besides several residences and the usual railroad buildings. There is also a steam saw mill and there is soon to be located there extensive shingle and lumber works to manufacture the cypress timber in South river. It is estimated that this enterprise will give employment to about sixty laborers and will add much to the prosperity of the place. Capt. J. L. Autry who owns most of the property in the place is a live energetic man, and his name in any enterprise guarantees success. While we were there he was moving his old store from its former location to the depot nearly one half mile distant and his popular clerk "Sol" was inside the moving building busily trading with numerous customers. Is he liable to be taxed as a peddler?

Roseboro which we also visited is the next depot down the new railroad and is about 12 miles west of Clinton. We found there 16 houses in process of erection and two steam saw mills in operation. The hotel when completed will be the finest on the road and would do credit to a much larger and older town. Nearly all the lots there have been sold and several new buildings will be commenced in a few days. It really looks like a town in the woods. It is in the midst of a fertile section and is bound to become one of the most prosperous villages on the road. And the Roseboro girls "get there." We know one charming little damsel who was seen the other day, riding whip in hand minding a big turkey gobbler away from her best beau and they do say that when the aforesaid gobbler swelled himself out to the size of a hay stack and made a gallant charge the said beau sought safety in flight."

Literary Department.

Book and Magazine Reviews--Quotations--General Literary Notes.

Employ your time in improving yourself by other men's writings, so you shall come easily by what others have labored hard for.—Socrates.

For whatsoever things were written aforetime were written for our learning.—St. Paul.

The March number of the "Confederate Veteran Magazine" is before us. The table of contents is an attractive one. The Veteran states that it is a medium of inter-communication for Confederate soldiers," and that its contents will consist of "war stories and reminiscences of camp and field services." The subscription price is $2.00 per year and it is published at Atlanta. It is a valuable and interesting publication.

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Godey's Lady's Book for March is received, and presents its usual fine appearance, Its fashion plates, stories and selection of poetry, with its typographical work, makes it one of the best fashion magazines to be purchased, ank should be found on every lady's table. Godey Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa. Price $2.00.

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The Old Homestead, Savannah, Ga., is an excellent Magazine and a Southern one too. The publishers, Messrs. Davis Bros., commenced the publication of this magazine not long since on a small scale and with but little capital. They have already doubled it in size and are fast bringing it to the front as a first-class monthly. They deserve support, and Southern people should sustain it.

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The Forum is one of the very ablest magazines of the day. We have previously given the March number a notice.

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The Home-maker, the editorials of which are from the delightful pen of the authoress, Marion Harland, is a very readable literary journal. It also has fashion and household notes. The corps of contributors is an able one.

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Belford's and Demorest's, two excellent magazines, failed to reach us this month.

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THE AUTHOR OF "LORNA DOONE."

R. D. Blackmore, known the world over as the author of "Lorna Doone," continues to write with all his old-time assiduity and with much of his old-time force. He is a brisk old gentleman, and as a sort of avocation or amusement he cultivates grapes and fruits in his large gardens in one of the suburbs of London. Some time ago he discovered that one of his gardeners had purloined and sold $25 worth of pears, and the old gentleman has been in a condition of great mental perturbation ever since. "Lorna Doone" has reached its eighteenth edition, and everybody who reads it wonders whether it were possible for any man to be strong enough to pull the muscle out of another man's arm. Blackmore has received thousands of letters on this subject.—London Letter to the Chicago News.

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The Easter number of the New York Ledger is rendered especially attractive by an uncommonly beautiful cover printed in colors. The central design is a picture of Easter morning in the country, the road to church, with a border of Easter lillies. This number contains the first chapters of a new story by Amelia E. Barr, entitled, "The Household of McNeil," which opens well, and bids fair to rival "Jan Vedder's Wife," so far the best known of Mrs. Barr's romances.

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ROBERT ELSMERE.

Dr. Marable in his sermon Sunday condemned Mrs. Ward's book as being as dangerous and pernicious as Voltaire. But from our standpoint we must differ with the learned Doctor. We read the book about a year ago, soon after it was published, and enjoyed it very much. In all of the discussions between the atheistic old Squire and the enthusiastic young Elsmere, we involuntary took sides the latter, and when he began to lose grip on his faith—began to doubt, we we were disgusted with him and began to formulate in our own mind the arguments he could have used to splinter the morbid absurdities of the choleric infidel. In fact, we don't think that any young man with the spirit and talent of Elsmere, one who has tasted and enjoyed the blessings of a christian life could so easily be drawn from his anchor in exchange for a blind drift in fathomless doubt. In short, the man who is made an infidel by reading Robert Elsmere, was already such at heart and needed only this excuse to show his colors.

Alliance Department.

☞[THE CAUCASIAN was adopted as the official organ of the County Alliances by the County Alliance, January 19th.☜

The Alliance is very wisely and justly directing its big guns at Congress and demanding a sweeping reduction of the monstrous war tariff, a flexible and sufficient currency, etc. But in the meantime it has a lesson teach its members at home. It is to put in the management of our soils, manners and crops, more thought backed up by acquired information, and at the same time to put a check on a barrier in front of our reckless expenditures--again the result of thought backed up by acquired knowledge. The Alliance of this county could probably have done nothing better in this direction than to have invited the State Commissioner of Agriculture to hold a Farmers' Institute in this county. But the Sampson County Agricultural Society has done it for us. See the letter of acceptance under Farmers' Column. So let us all attend and learn what we may learn.

CHANGING THEIR TONE.

The Growth and Demands of the Alliance the Cause.

The New York Tribune, the protection organ, is very much disturbed by some resolutions passed and demands made by the Farmers' Alliance recently, and the effect it is having in converting some high protectionist. It says:

"There is strength in unity," it declares; "not in division. The true policy for all who desire defence of American labor is not to find fault, because in the shifting of prices or cost of production, or through the mistakes of legislators, this or that interest has gained more than others, but to submit in a straight-forward and manly way the reasons for better defense of those industries which have not enough. The only chance of the enemies of protection is to divide its friends and get themselves. When those friends all stand together, asking fair and adequate protection for all industries, they are invincible not only in logic, but in numbers."

Invincible not only in logic, but in numbers! The logic is only to be found in the pockets of the favored few who are thriving through the operation of the tariff, at the expense of the many. The numbers, we are disposed to think are from the evidence that are constantly presenting themselves, are slowly, but not the less surely, melting away. The uneasiness to be detected in the tone of all the leading newspapers that are supporting the present tariff laws, from the New York Tribune down to the least important in the list, is a premonition of ruin that is entitled to much consideration. The blustering and contemptuous language in which these newspapers formerly indulged so freely has been dropped in a measure, and they are now forced to descend to arguments, reproaches and remonstrances. The cause of this change is undoubtedly to be discovered in the growth of the Farmers' Alliance in all parts of the South and West, and the resolute attitude they have everywhere assumed towards the tariff system that is now operating so detrimentally to their interests.

TOO MANY NORTHERN

Soldiers to be Fed from the Public Crib.

Senator Vance's bill to establish depositories in the different counties of the State in the agricultural regions will doubtless not pass. The bill provides that any farmer who may need to borrow money can do so by first placing in the nearest depository corn, wheat, &c., as surety for the money borrowed. The rate to be charged for the use of the money is one per cent per annum. The Senator asked for only $50,000 to operate the system. There are too many Northern Soldiers that must be fed from the public treasury to spare this much money to the farmer. But take warning, ye heartless, faithless solons; the Alliance will see to it that some of you are serving your last term in Congress. Millions, millions of dollars squandered every year, yet the one-twentieth part of a million cannot be given to relieve the great agricultural depression of the country. Indeed it is time for the hand-writing to be seen on the wall.

The distress of the people is crying aloud for relief. A large bulk of our citizens believe that very many of the questions that are receiving the attention of Congress are far less urgent than those upon which the safety of their homes and the welfare of their families depend. They believe that the white citizens have some rights as well as the colored citizens of the South. They believe that fallen heroes, both white and black, in past struggles for liberty and the perpetuity of our institutions can afford to wait for one moment until the rights of living heroes in the present struggle for American homes receive some recognition by the men who have been chosen to represent them in Congress. Behind these demands are more than two million ballots, and the time is coming and is not far distant when legislators will heed the voice of their constituents.

Politicians in Kansas are puzzled as they never were before on account of the rapid growth of the Farmers' Alliance movement. There are now between 1,500 and 2,000 Alliances in the State, and this number, under steady work of district organizers, is constantly increasing. Judge W. A. Pepper, the recognized leader of the Alliance, confidently asserts at this early day that the Alliance will elect a majority of the members who will choose a successor to Senator Ingalls. When interrogated as to whether the members elected by Alliance votes would support Senator Ingalls for a re election Judge Peppers said the Alliance men would support no man for any office who did not agree with the Alliance and who would not pledge himself to work for those things the Alliance has demanded.—Exchange.

Your Answer?

Are you really and truly an Alliance member according to the obligations you have taken? Are you using all the means in your power to advance the Alliance cause in your midst? Have you ever written one line to your State or local organ for the encouragement and assistantance of your brethren! Have you ever tried to get a brother to subscribe, or read an Alliance paper? Do you stand up boldly for the cause or are you a sneak? Are you a regular visitor at your meetings? Do you always have so much business on hand outside that when you attend you cannot remain till the close?—Toi-not Home.

Agriculturist Demanding Relief.

[By United Press.]

TOPEKA, KAN., March 17th.—The Farmer' Alliance has addressed an open letter to the Kansas delegation in Congress demanding legislation for the relief of the agricultural interests of the State.

"We will not undertake to say whether the Farmers' Alliance will or will not accomplish anything beneficial, but its organization is a strong expression of the farmers' discontent, and the agitation must lead to something beneficial, whether the right method has or has not been chosen.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

There is a power a hundred times more powerful than that of bayonets; it is the power of ideas.

[Official.]

To County Alliance Delegates.

I will call the Sampson County Alliance to order at 11 o'clock on Friday, April 4th. The delegation from every sub-Alliance in the county is requested to be present promptly at that time.

W. E. STEVENS, Pres't.

INGOLD ALLIANCE.

The county lecturer will deliver an address at Ingold on Saturday evening, April 5th at 3 o'clock. The public is specially invited to come out and hear him.

PUBLIC ADDRESS.

The public is invited to a public meeting of Bluff Alliance on Thursday the 9th of April at 1 o'clock. The county Lecturer will be present and discuss the issues of the day and the principles of the order.

W. J. CRADDOCK, Sec'y.

ORGANIZATION.

President—W. E. Stevens;
Vice-President—R. M. Crumpler;
Secretary—O. F. Herring;
Treasurer—J. R. Beaman, Sr.;
Business Agent—G. A. Clute;
Sergeant-at-Arms—B. S. Peterson;
Chaplain—Dr. G. W. Moseley;
Doorkeeper—W. J. Faircloth;
Assistant Door-keeper—D. W. Williams;
Lecturer—Marion Butler;
Assistant Lecturer—P. B. Lockamy;
Executive Committee—J. A. Oates, Chairman; R. M. Crumpler, M. M. Killett, W. K Pigford, C. E. Daniel.

To Business Agents.

RALEIGH, N. C., Mar. 25, 1890.

I am now prepared to supply groceries in whole packages ONLY at lowest wholesale prices, to be shipped from New York, Charlotte, Baltimore, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Chicago, Richmond, Raleigh and Wilmington. Below I give a few sample prices which are subject to fluctuations:

SUGAR.	
Standard Granulated,	@6¼c
Conf, A	6¼c
American, No. 2	5¾c
" " 3	5¼c
COFFEE.	
A No. 10 Rio	20¾c
J. P. " 16 "	19c
D " 69 "	17¾c
B " 8 "	16¾c
T. B. & C. Lagr.	19¾c
SYRUPS AND MOLASSES.	
A No. 1 fine syrup	26c
No. 41 syrup	23c
Crushed sugar drops	28c
No. 40 molasses	24c
No. 46 "	28c
Antigua molasses	22c
Best Cuba,	27¼c
N. O. "Laurel,"	38c
SOAP.	
Pure admiral brand—	
100 lb box 1s	3.35
60 lb box 1s	2.00
LARD.	
Fairbank's tierce.	5¼c
" 2—50 lb tins in case	6c
" 4—20 lb tins "	6¼c
" 6—10 lb tins "	6¼c
" 12—5 lb tins "	6¼c
CHEESE.	
Large cakes	11c
STARCH.	
Large lump—40 lb box	2¼c
Pearl laundry—40 lb box	2¼c
HOMINY AND GRITS.	
100 lb bags	1.50
200 lb bbls	3.00
RICE.	
100 lb bags or bbls	4½@5¼c
PEPPER.	
Sifted grain in 120 lb bags	14¼c
Sifted grain in small quantity	15¼c
LYE.	
Best pure concentrated	3.00
Best pure potash	2.60
SNUFF—BEST.	
Beef bladder 1 bbl	33c
" " ½ "	34c
Assorted 1 "	34c
" " ½ "	35c
SALT.	
J. O. B. Wilmington, N. C.	
In 125 lb sacks	48c
In 200 lb sacks	75c
In 224 lb sacks	98c
Rye per bushel,	38c
Tobacco in 10 lb lots of 1 lb pkg dif. varieties.	64clb
SODA.	
Kegs of 112 lbs	2¼c
Boxes of 60 lbs in lb pkg N B	4c
Boxes of 60 lbs in 1 and ½ packages N B.	4¼c
FLOUR.	
Snowflake in bbl	3.40
Roanoke in bbl	4.25
President in bbl	4.60
Pdeal	5.25
15c per bbl less in half bbl sacks.	
MEAT.	
Sides in box (400—500 lbs.)	5 40
Sugar and hams	11¼c
California hams	5¼c
Mess pork per bbl (200 lbs)	10.25
BRAN, ETC.	
Special rates on C. L. lots.	
Ship stuff per ton,	17.25
Bran,	17 00
CRACKERS.	
Soda	4¼c
CANDY.	
Best plain 25 lb box	9c
" " 200 lb box	8¼c
Cocoanut	11c
HAY.	
Best timothy C. L, (13 tons)	12.50
Best mixed C. L, (13 tons)	10.00
CORN.	
Delivered in N. C.	
White, sacked,	52
Mixed "	50
3½c. less in bulk.	
PLANT BED CLOTH.	
Bolt—60—75 Yds-	2¼c
WAGONS.	
One horse,	22.50
Two horse,	35@42
CARTS.	
Log, complete	35.00
Dump, "	20.00
Road, "	12.50@30
STOVES.	
Cook, complete,	8.50@35
Heating "	3.50@30
SEEDS—(BEST.)	
Oats, white, spring per bushel,	37c
Oats, black spring per bushel,	37c
Oats, red rust proof spring bus.	40c
ONION SETS.	
White silver skin per bushel,	2.25
Red per bushel,	2.00
Potato per bushel,	2.25
SEEDS, ETC.	
Clover, red choice, per bush.	4.25
" mammoth per bush.	4.50
" lucerene per lb.	15c
" alsike per lb.	13c
" crimson per lb	9c.
Grass, timothy per bush	1.60
" herds per bush.	.45
" orchard per bush.	1.00
" Ky blue per bush.	1.25
" Tall meadow oat per bus	1.25
" Johnson per bush.	2.25
" Italian rye,	90c.
GARDEN PEAS.	
Lightning excelsior per bush	3 00
Extra early	2.75
Other varieties from $1.30 to $5.75.	
BEANS OR SNAPS.	
Imp. Ex. valentine per bush	2.75
Dwarf black wax per bush.	3.75
Early mohawk per bush.	2.75
Special rates on garden seeds.	
IRISH POTATOES	
Early rose per bbl.	2.40
Beauty of Hebrom per bbl.	2.40
Peerless per bbl.	
BUGGIES.	
Open	32.10
Top	38.80
Top phaetons,	70.00
SEWING MACHINES.	
Singer pattern,	$12@$15
New crown,	$14.50@35
BROOMS.	
Per dozen,	$1@$3
FERTILIZERS.	
N. C. Farmers' Alliance official guano F. O. B. Durham, N. C.,	21.50
F. O. B. Richmond, Va.	20.50
Any quantity from Durham, but only in car loads from Richmond.	
Edisto acid phosphate F. O. B. Charleston, S. C.—only in C. L. lots.	12.
German Kainit, F. O. B. Charleston, S. C—only in C. L lots,	11.75
Land plaster, F. O. B. Philadelphia, Pa.	6.75
Shell Lime, F. O. B., Norfolk, Va.,	8.75
Shell Lime, F. O. B., Norfolk, Va.,	2.75

Cotton Seed meal, $20 per ton in car lots (10 tons,)
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In ordering be careful to state what depot goods are to be shipped to and be sure to give name of your post-office address as it is VERY important. Please condense your correspondence for I am run over with business. Yours fraternally,

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SANFORD, S. C., August 3rd, 1889.

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LAURINBURG, N. C., Sept. 17th, 1889.

MESSRS. J. C. Stevenson & Taylor, Wilmington, N. C.:

DEAR SIRS:—After using the half barrel "Champion Food" purchased of you we can readily say that it has fulfilled every representation made for it so far as we have tried it. In no instance has it failed to benefit stock fed on it. We can particularly recommend it for milch cows, calves and colts. We regard it as the best stock food on the market. Send us another half barrel.

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Call at our store and examine the new Soft Stop which saves pianos from wear while practising and makes tone inaudible to all outside of room. A wonderful invention.

H. MILLER & CO.
Goldsboro, N. C.

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HEADQUARTERS FOR BEST PEACH AND APPLE CIDER, (Corner of Elm and R. R. Street.)

SWEET AND HARD CIDER always on hand. In addition to this pleasant and healthy drink. I keep

Tobacco, Snuff,
Flour, Potash,
Candies, Soda,
and Pea-Nuts

which are sold at lowest prices for cash.

600 Pipes, of all styles and sizes. Try one.

Respectfully,

THOS. GAUTIER.

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CLINTON

Harness Establishment!

[ESTABLISHED IN 1867.]

I am now located on Fayetteville Street, opposite CAUCASIAN office.

I put up and keep in stock, or make to order, any style of Harness, from $13.00 to $40.00. I also make all styles and grades of Saddles, Bridles, Halters and everything in this line.

Good, honest work at the lowest living figures, is my guide and motto in business.

A large supply of Northern Harness and a fine line of Driving Whips always kept on hand. Call and examine. Respectfully,

sep5—3m W. H. STETSON.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the Remedy for you. For sale by R. H. HOLLIDAY, Druggist, Clinton, and W. P. KENNEDY, Warsaw, N. C.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ "Wants" and Business Notices can be inserted in this column at ten cents a line.

A LARGE INVOICE OF NEW SPRING MILLINERY just received at MOORE & PARTRICK'S.

Call at T. M. FERRELL'S and get a cake of Kitchen Soap, for scouring and cleaning knives and silverware.

Call at W. G. Rackley's and see the large line of New Samples of Clothing. Measures taken and goods made to order. A fit guaranteed.

When in Clinton come to R. C. SOUTHERLAND'S Restaurant, between Royal's and Partrick's, for your meals. Groceries and Confectioneries also kept.

A nice lot of Jewelry just received at T. M. FERRELL'S.

M. Hanstein is in the North buying his Spring and Summer Clothing, Hats and Shoes. On account of the hard times he promises to sell cheaper this summer than ever before. Wait for his goods before you buy elsewhere.

New crop Cuba Molasses just received and for sale at C. P. JOHNSON'S.

A small lot of Buckwheat, just received at T. M. FERRELL'S.

10-4 Bleached Sheeting, 22 yards; Turkey-red Table Damasks, 22ds; good Calico at 5 cents. The best Flour at $6.25 a bbl. Spectacles and Jewelry a speciality.
B. F. POWELL.

M. Hanstein's Store will be the store of the people more so now than heretofore. He buys for cash, therefore he'll be able to sell cheap. Call on him and it will pay you.

We are so busy unpacking and marking goods this week that we haven't time to write an advertisement; but call in and see us and you shall be waited on. Look out for "ad.," with prices next week.
MARY E. PETERSON & Co.

Horse and Cattle Powders at T. M. FERRELL'S.

TRUCKERS!

Leave your orders with A. F. Johnson & Co., for Seed Beans. They are headquarters for Seeds and their prices are always as low as the lowest. fe27-2t

Try that nice Butter at T. M. FERRELL'S

GOOD ADVICE!

Ladies take our advice and go at once to A. F. Johnson & Co.'s and secure some of those rare bargains in Hamburg Embroidery—at cost. Just think of it! Over 1,000 yards at these prices. Don't wait, for they can't possibly keep them many days at such prices.

Another lot of Coffee just received at T. M. FERRELL'S.

NOTICE!

I have just received two car loads of Marble at my Fayetteville Yard. Also two hundred small five dollar Head Stones for infants. Parties who are in need of work in my line will do well to write or call to see me at my works.
Respectfully,
CHAS. A. GOODWIN.

PAID READING NOTICES.

☞ Cards and Reading Notices can be inserted under this head for 10 cents per line.

Posters are out for a public entertainment, the rendering of WRINKLES, a Comedy, for the benefit of the Philotechnic Literary Society at Salem High School. The public are respectfully invited to come. Admission 25 cents.

MARKETS.

CLINTON.

(Reported by A. F. JOHNSON & Co)

Corn, (new)	60
Peas, (stock)	80
" (white)	1 10
Bacon,	8 to 12½
Chickens,	15 to 25
Eggs,	10
Beeswax	18 to 20
Butter,	20 to 25
Lard,	10 to 12½
Fodder,	65
Flour,	4 50 to 5 50
Hides,	03 to 05
Turpentine, (hard)	1 20
" (Virgin and Yellow Dip)	2 40
Cotton,	10¼

WILMINGTON.

Spirits Turpentine,	39 per gallon
Rosin, (strained)	1 10 per barrel
" (good strained)	1 15 per barrel
Tar,	$1 30 per barrel
Crude Turpentine, (Hard)	$1 20
" " (Virgin and Yellow Dip)	2 20
Cotton,	10¼
Timber, per m.,	3 00 to 15 00

Epoch.

The transition from long, lingering and painful sickness to robust health marks an epoch in the life of the individual. Such a remarkable event is treasured in the memory and the agency whereby thn good health has been attained is gratefully blesred Hence it is that so much is heard in praise of Electric Bitters. So many feel they owe their restoration to health to the use of the Great Alterative and Tonic. If you are troubled with any disease of Kidneys, Liver or Stomach, of long or short standing, you will surely find relief by use of Electric Bitters. Sold at 50c and $1 per bottle at R. H. Holidays Drug Store.

CONSUMPTIGN SURELY CURED.

TO THE EDITOR—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and post office address. Respectfuly,
T. A. SLOCUM, M. C.,
181 Pearl st., New York.

LOCALS.

—Cotton worth 10¼ cents.

—Many of "the 200" have paid. Are you one of those who have not?

—Special drill of the Sampson Light Infantry to-night—every Thursday night.

—The Shakespearian club meets at the residence of Miss Mary Lou Brown's this evening.

—Remember, a Farmers' sIntitute for Sampeon will be held on Friday and Saturday, the 4th and 5th of April.

—The Y. M. C. A. will meet at Presbyterian Church on next Sabbath evening at 3 o'clock. The pub is invited.

—Mr. P. McP. Geddie, a merchant of Cedar Creek, N. C., a magistrate and a prominent citizen of his township, gave us a call Monday.

—The negro girl who was accidentally shot, account of which was given in last week's paper, died last Thursday. Some of the shot had pierced the intestines.

—Capt. T. D. Smith of THE CAUCASIAN office, returns thanks to Col. John R. Beaman for a basket of nice turnips, sweet potatoes and other good things.

—One of the prettiest stores in town is the millinery establishment of Moore & Partrick, nearly every one stops to admire the tasty display in the show-windows.

—The Royal Arch Chapter of A. F. and A. Masons, re-establised here recently, is doing good work. Three members were initiated last meeting and several petitions for membership received.

—The Clinton Chapter of K. of H. have subscribed to five shares in the Sampson Building and Loan Association, with a view to estab'ishing a relief fund with which to assist its members if any one should become needy or be in distress.

—Examine carefully this copy of THE CAUCASIAN. Notice its various departments and classifications of matter. Is it not a complete family paper? If it is not, then help us to make it such, for it is to that end that we are striving.

—See the programme of the Farmers' Institute in another column. Those whose names are down will open the discussion on the various subjects, while every one present will be expected to enter into the discussion, give in his experience and ask questions.

—The Sampson Light Infantry was out on dress parade last Friday. The company and its captain were complimented by many on their fine appearance. The members practiced target shooting for an hour and did well, considering the windy weather. We understand that Capt. Johnson has ordered a fine sporting medal to be awarded to the best shot. The Sampson company was second in the target contest at the encampment last summer, and now bids fair to take off the prize next summer.

—The home paper should be in the hands of everybody. There is no education like it. The children will read it when they will read nothing else, and not only this, but there is something else to be considered. The greater part of the patronage is expected from home folks, and no town or county now-a-days can afford to be without a good newsapper. Examine this copy and decide whether or not it is worthy of your support—whether or not you can afford to be without it.

—An esteemed subscriber in a private letter says: Out of three newspapers THE CAUCASIAN suits me better than the others. I like editorial articles and yours are so replete with real good sound common sense views of the subjects mentioned. I often get sample copies of papers but they do not come up to the high moral standard of yours, and it will eventually grow to a large circulation and wield a good and lasting influence. The people of the county should aid in procuring a large subscription and make the County Organ what the editor desires it to be.

—THE CAUCASIAN has received many gratifying compliments lately, and especially on the last few issues. Your appreciation, as well as your financial support, will assist and encourage us to try to make each issue better. Notice in this issue seven distinct features, "Children's Corner," "Woman's Sphere," "Farmers' Column," "Alliance Department," Christian Echoes" and "Literary Department," in addition to the Editorial, Local and General News, and discussions and correspondence which make up the ordinary weekly newspaper. These features we hope to be able to run regularly in our paper.

—We have suggested several times that Sampson hold a Farmers' Institute. We are glad to state that the Sampson county Agricultural Society has adopted the suggestion and invited Hon. John Robinson, State Commissioner of Agriculture, to hold an Institute in this county at his earliest convenience. He has accepted and fixed the date for the 4th and 5th of April. He will be assisted by Profs. Massey and Chamberlain, of the State Agricultural and Mechanical College. Let every progressive farmer in the county attend. Let every man who is not too wise to learn, and who is not too stingy to let others be benefited by his knowledge, come and teach and be taught. See letter of acceptance under head of Farmers' column.

All Through the County.

What Sampsonians are Doing and Saying.

☞ Send us the news from your township for this column. Every subscriber to THE CAUCASIAN has a right and is requested to contribute items of news in "his" neighborhood for this column. We will not publish your name unless you desire it. ☜

PINEY GROVE.

Snow every week of March!

A few of our smarter friends have sown their gardens, some were so far advanced as to have plants set out, and watermellon patches planted. But, alas! they will not now be so far ahead of their more delinquent neighbors. Some of our farmers used no guano last year and will use none this year. Why can't they all do without it?

There will be an entertainment at Mt. Olive to night, "Among The Breakers," by home talent.

Miss Sudie Huggins has just closed a successful school, two miles from home, in District No. 15. She spent last week in Goldsboro, visiting the family of her uncle, Mr. W. H. Huggins.

"Have you had the La Grippe? No, I am not fashionable enough." So says a certain young lady.

Mrs. D. M. Kornegay had "La Grippe" a month ago, and is still suffering from the effects of it. She hopes to get the full benefit of the prevailing "fashion."

Mr. A. J. Barbrey, formerly Principal of the school at Huggins School House, is taking a course at Rutherford College. His many friends wish him much success in his college life. There will be a public debate at Goshen High School, Friday night the 28th.

Mrs. Joe Sutton who has been quite sick for the past six weeks, is visiting her father Mr. J. D. O. Culbreth.

HALLS.

Mr. Butler: Dear Sir; Two of the best farmers of this neighborhood planted corn on the old women's day for planting garden seed, or about that time, and they have proven themselves to be good planters, as their corn remains planted.

Mrs. Jane Kerr and Miss Lula Bannerman who have been visiting Mrs. J. C. Hobbs left on the 10th to visit Mr. J. D. Kerr, of Delta.

Mrs. J. C. Hobbs and her guest, Miss Mamie Kerr, attended an entertainment at the Mt. Olive school on the 21st.

The young men in the lower part of this county and Pender when beginning house keeping have a substitute after the distruction of hog chulera, they eat bear meat and beans, "down on the river" and some of the young ladies are very fond of the substitute.

Miss Amanda Wilson, who has been teaching school in South Carolina is visiting friends and relatives around Hobton.

YAMGUMMIM.

Died, on Monday, Miss Hattie, daughter of Mr. D. C. McPhail, aged 15 years, of diabetis. She had been lingering for several months.

A severe wind storm passed thro' this section eastward last week. Much fence and many trees blown down. We understand that much damage was done at Giddensville and beyond.

NEWTON GROVE.

Mr. Lewis King one of our J. P's aged about 55 years, after remaining a widower for six week, took unto himself a young wife the 12 inst.

LITTLE COHARIE.

We live in a "world of changes," and as times change the words of the wise man, Solomon are certainly verified which says "there is nothing new under the sun." But it does seem occasionally, that with all due reverence for "Sacred things" that sometimes something will occur that seems new, especially to the people not living in that part of our "glorious county" where Science is knowledge reduced to a system. The latest news of this section is, that one of the brightest and most highly gifted legal lights of the Clinton fraternity, in making a visit among the scenes of his boyhood has tried to "swap" his buggy horse for a dog. This a fact the knowledge of which the writer received from the brilliant young lawyer, himself, and he seemed to be astonished to think that his offer was not accepted. So if the citizens of Clinton, should see or hear of one of their bright legal limbs driving up into town with one of the Canine domestics attached to a road cart with his auricular appendages erect they need not be surprised. What next? L.

MCDANIELS.

Mrs. J. McP. Geddie of Cedar Creek is visiting her sister Mrs. Adolphus Williamson.

NORTH CLINTON.

Miss Mary Moore from Goldsboro is visiting her friend Miss McKoy Boney, near Clinton.

TAYLOR'S BRIDGE,

Mr. N. L. Merritt, the clever young salesman of Mr. A. J. Johnson, has resumed his position.

The Rev. Mr. Parker, Trinity's new pastor, is delighting his congregations.

An old man said to us the other day "if you want to experiment on the adhesiveness of affection endeavor to divorce a lazy boy from a warm bed on a cold winter's morning."

The lines that follow setting forth the origin of shad and the strawberry were handed us yesterday:

"When the angel made shad
The devil was mad
For it seemed such a feast of delight;
so to ruin the scheme,
He jumped into the stream
And stuck in the bones out of spite.

When the strawberries red
First illumed their bed,
The angel looked down and was glad
But the devil 'tis said
Fairly pounded his head,
For he'd used all his bones for the shad.'

The most of the farmers in this township are ready for planting corn, some of them have planted a little.

We poor "Big Blue" hunter's may hang our baskets high for the snow has killed about all of them this year.

Will some one please tell us a cure for "Fever blisters."

We are glad to learn that Mrs. G. W. Moseley, who has been quite sick is improving.

Mrs. S. S. Smith, who has been visiting friends and relatives in this township left last week for her home in Jones county.

LITTE BROWN EYES.

LISBON.

The old mill of Mr. Kedar Vann was burned last week. A vessel containing ashes (in which there was supposed to be no fire) was left in the house; from which mistake the mill was probably burned.

PROGRAMME.

Farmers' Institute, Clinton, N. C., April 4th and 5th, 1890.

Friday Morning, Prayer by Rev. C. P. Jerome.

Address of Welcome by W. E. Stevens, Pres't of County Alliance of Sampson county.

Response by Col. John Robinson, Commissioner of Agriculture.

Organization by election of Chairman and Secretary.

Address by Prof. J. R. Chamberlaine, N. C. College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts.

Subject: Home-made Fertilizers.

Question box opened and Discussion.

Noon Recess.

AFTERNOON.

Address by Rev. J. L. Stewart.

Subject: Finance in its Relation to Farming.

Question box and discussion.

Addresses by Local Speakers.

Discussion.

SATURDAY MORNING.

Prayer by Dr. G. W. Moseley, Chaplain of County Alliance.

Address by Prof. W. F. Massey, N. C. College of Agriculture.

Subject: Practical Horticultural Training in Agricultural Colleges.

Question box and Discussion.

AFTERNOON.

Address by Prof. J. R. Chamberlain. Subject: Swine Raising.

Question box and Discussion.

An Expression of Confidence.

Geo. P. Rowell & Co., of New York, the publishers of the American Newspaper Directory, undertake to rate newspaper circulations very much as the mercantile agencies report the capital and credit of the business community. About one publisher in ten tells his exact issue with truthful precision. Some of the other nine decline to tell the facts because they assert that those who do tell are in the habit of lying. Rowell & Co., after an experience of more than 20 years, have come to the conclusion that this view cannot be sustained. In the 22nd annual issue of their book, now in the binder's hands, they designate every paper that is rated in accordance with a detailed statement from the publisher; and offer to pay a hundred dollars for every instance which can be pointed out of a misstatement for which a publisher is responsible. THE CAUCASIAN is one of the papers that is willing to have it known how many it prints and whose good faith the Directory publishers will guarantee. Under date of March 22d, in a private letter to us, Rowell & Co. says: It is a fact that less than one paper in sixteen has furnished such a straightout statement of actual issues as you have done.

Who Is the Forger?

Mr. R. J. Williams, one of Clinton's groceries, has just discovered a forgery to the tune of $38.00. On the 21st of January a negro girl, Lizzie Moore, entered his store and said that Mrs. Spivey (widow of the late Rev. B. S. Spivey) sent her for several articles, naming them. Mr. Williams, who is a cautious business man, wrote Mrs. S. to send an order, the girl soon returned with a note with Mrs. S's name signed to it, instructing Mr. Williams that the girl was in her employment and that whatever she called for would be alright. Mr. Williams filled the order. Similar orders were presented every few days through the month. On February 21st Mr. Williams sent a bill by the girl for the month's purchases. The girl returned with a note saying that the bill would be paid in a few days and ordering more goods. On February 26th Mr. Williams learned that Mrs. Spivey had been gone to South Carolina for some time on a visit. Fearing that something was wrong he mailed a bill to Mrs. Spivey's sister, who lives with her. She immediately came to the store and said that there was some mistake, that they had bought nothing from Mr. Williams, whereupon the negro girl was arrested and lodged in jail. The girl now says that the goods were not for Mrs. Spivey, but for another party in town who forged the orders. The parties accused appeared before Justice Hubbard and testified that the charge was false. The matter awaits further ventilation at court.

Christian Echoes.

Religious Miscellany—Sermon Reports—General Church News and Notes.

"Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your Father which is in Heaven."

Good Preaching—Two Sermons.

DR. B. F. MARABLE.

On last Sabbath morning Dr. Marable, though yet weak from protracted illness, filled his pulpit in the Presbyterian church. Text, 1—6 verses, chap. iii of Genesis. Subject: A Terrible Doubt.

He said that it was generally supposed that the serpent selected Eve as the object of his temptings because she was the weaker. But it is not so. He selected her because he knew her to be the stronger. Like the cunning general he knew that Eve captured, Adam would capitulate without further contest. Physically, man is her superior—is the stronger; intellectually, is very debatable; morally, woman is vastly man's superior; and there is no power equal to moral force. Morals make the man—and also how few MEN we have! But notice how the wily serpent approached the pure and unsuspecting Eve. Now the Lord had said:

But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it: for in the day that thou eatest thereof THOU SHALT SURELY DIE.

But the serpent misquoted and said "lest ye die." He called attention to the fact that it was the tree of knowledge—knowledge of good and evil, such knowledge as gods themselves have. He also called her attention to the fact that the fruit of the tree appeared luscious and was good for food. The cunning and cautious agent of Satan saw that he had created a doubt in Eve's mind, then was his time. He follows up the advantage, before the doubt could be shaken off, steps boldly to the front and says: "You shall not surely die." Eve takes the fruit—the victory won, sin enters the world, Adam and Eve and all their seed will forever have a weak place in their armour, which may be pierced by Satan's darts; and just so forever the prelude to every one of Satan's victories will be a DOUBT. Yes, and let Satan plant the poisonous, cankerous doubt in the soul, and the conquest of hell is almost a certainty.

Ingersoll is one of the least valuable of the Devil's emmissaries. He steps boldly to the front and at once shows himself a "monster of so frightful mein" that none can be captured save those who are already nursing a doubt. It is such as Voltaire and the author of "Robert Elsmere," who secretly lay their wily meshes, and with unseen hand sow the seed of doubt to ripen into unbelief. Thus the unsuspecting happy believer is transformed into the hopeless, miserable infidel.

REV. F. D. SWINDELL.

On last Sabbath night the Rev. Dr. Swindell, the Presiding Elder of the Wilmington District, preached an excellent sermon from the 24th verse of the xx chap. of The Acts. Text,

But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that I might finish my course with joy, and the ministry, which I have received of the Lord Jesus, to testify the gospel of the grace of God.

Subject: The character and mission of Paul. Two great characters in Biblical history are Moses and Paul, the former, originator of ideas, the latter the greater of the two, the founder of institutions. Then followed a well-worded and beautiful expose of the text, pointing the sublime results from the christian growth and development of the inner man.

Morisey—Faison.

Married, Wednesday morning at 9:00 o'clock, Mr. John W. Morisey, of Cumberland, to Miss Eliza Faison, of this county, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. William A. Faison. The ceremony was performed in a beautiful and impressive manner by Dr. B. F. Marable, of Mount Olive.

The attendants were as follows: Mr. McBride with Miss Sudie Faison, Mr. Ryburn with Miss Lee, Dr. Spicer with Miss Brown, Mr. Cook with Miss Florence Faison, Mr. Mosely with Miss Micks, Mr. Leonidas Faison with Miss Von Ghlon, Mr. Morisey with Miss Shaw, Mr. Faison with Miss Morisey.

The reception Tuesday evening was a very happy and enjoyable occasion. A supper, so sumptuous and palatable, that it reminded us of the Young Ladies' Cooking Club on a large scale. The roomy, pretty and comfortable parlor was beautifully decorated and withal adorned with so many large and elegant paintings and drawings in oil, water colors, crayon and pastel, that each one could almost imagine "hemself" one of an impromptu party in an art gallery. Two large tables were covered with the bride's many valuable and handsome presents. The bride and groom left immediately after the ceremony for their home at Little River Academy, in Cumberland county. THE CAUCASIAN's congratulations goes with the happy couple.

—The New Berne Journal, in referring to the Building and Loan Association of that place, says:

To our young men I would especially urge the benefits to be derived by them from this investment. If you only put aside each day ten cents and invest this in three shares of stock at the end of each month you will have in six and a half years $300.

Our Association is based upon eight per cent. interest to borrower and no extras.

We promise no more than we can do, and we confidently believe that upon investigation it will be found that our Association offers just as great advantages as any other Association in our State, and ours is a home organization, composed of home people and takes home securities and works for the benefit of home.

What Representative Stevens Thinks About It.

In view of the unprecedented negro exodus from this State amounting to forty or fifty thousand, and in order to ascertain what will be the temporary and present affects of the same, The State Chronicle has sent out the following five questions to a great many representative men asking their answers to the same:

First—What proportion of negroes have left your county?

Second—What affect has their going away had in regard to preparations for the crop of this year?

Third—What will be the permanent affect of their going?

Fourth—What affect will their departure have on politics?

Fifth—State in brief your opinion in regard to the exodus.

The following is Mr. Stevens' answer:

(Special to the Chronicle.)

CLINTON, N. C., March 13, '90.

1. There has been no exodus from Sampson county. Large numbers have gone South to work turpentine but they will return in the winter. A much larger number than usual heve gone this year, but not enough to affect labor seriously.

2 and 3. If this continues it will seriously affect farming in Eastern Carolina as there is not sufficient white labor as yet.

4. The departure will not affect politics as they were in the minority in Sampson. W. E. STEVENS.

Personals.

Mr. J. H. Royal is on a business trip in Western Carolina.

Miss Madge Fason has returned from her visit to Raleigh.

Mrs. Frank Boykin has returned from a visit to Wilmington.

Mrs. Dr. T. J. Boykin left for her home in Baltimore Saturday.

Mrs. Romena and Miss Rena Micks left Saturday morning for a visit in Goldsboro.

Miss Lida Drane of Savannah, Ga., who has been visiting Miss Mary Lou Brown, returned Saturday.

Mrs. Judge McKoy and Allmand Griggs, who have been visiting relatives in Georgia returned last Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. A. Johnson and her two little daughters who have been visiting in Wilmington, returned last Thursday evening.

Senator Robinson of Duplin gave our sanctum a call Monday while we were absent. Sorry that we did not have the pleasure of seeing him.

Mr. C. B. Boyette who has been taking a medical and dental course at the University of Baltimore is back and is spending this week with his brother, Dr. Frank Boyette.

Mr J. J. Hill, representing the North Carolina Building and Loan Association of Charlotte, is in town this week with a view to establishing a branch office here. Our local association is doing good work. They are good institutions and we cannot have too much of a good thing.

—On Wednesday evening the 19th inst., Miss Rena Micks and Miss Mary Lou Brown gave a pleasant and interesting party in honor of Miss Drane. First there was an auction lottery sale of all kinds of suggestive odd tricks and fancies. Many a hearty round of applause and laughter was there at the expense of the successful bidder, when his doubtful prizes was opened. The inimitable John Slocumb, acting as auctioneer, kept the whole party convulsed with laughter with his sallies of wit and oddities of expression. Then come the laughable and futil efforts of each one, in vain trying to "pin on the donkey's tail. The very enjoyable occasion closed with an old time candy stew, which made us wish to be a boy again when our supremest delight was to pull and eat, and eat and pull.

WHAT IS

SCROFULA

It is that impurity in the blood, which, accumulating in the glands of the neck, produces unsightly lumps or swellings; which causes painful running sores on the arms, legs, or feet; which developes ulcers in the eyes, ears, or nose, often causing blindness or deafness; which is the origin of pimples, cancerous growths, or the many other manifestations usually ascribed to "humors;" which, fastening upon the lungs, causes consumption and death. Being the most ancient, it is the most general of all diseases or affections, for very few persons are entirely free from it.

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NOTICE.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE of the Superior Court of Sampson county, rendered by His Honor Judge Graves at the Feb. term of said court (1890,) in case of J. T. Matthis and wife Susan against J. W. McCalop and T. J. Lee, the undersigned commissioner, duly appointed in a former decree in said suit, will, on the 5th day of April 1890 at public auction for cash, to the highest bidder, sell the following described land, lying and being in the county of Sampson, adjoining the lands of J. I. McCalop, G. W. Rackley and others and more particularly described in a mortgage deed given by said McCalop with said Matthis and which said mortgage is recorded in the Register's office of Sampson county in Book 62 pages 197 and 198.

This March 5th 1890.

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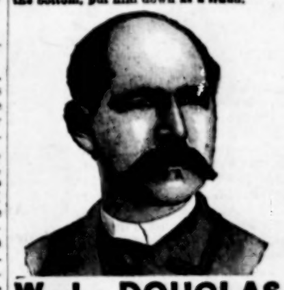

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CLINTON, N. C., May 21st, '88.

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Notice of Sale!

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE of the Superior Court to create assets to pay debts, the undersigned will, on Saturday April 5th 1890 at Clinton, N. C., by public auction, sell the lands belonging to the estate of S. O. Sutton, deceased, in two tracts.

First tract of fifty acres, on west side of public road, adjoining lands of W. H. Boyette and others.

Second tract of fifty-three acres, more or less, being the rest of the land described in the petition, adjoining lands of S. R. Daughtry, W. A. Boyette and others.

Terms of sale—25 per cent cash and balance with 8 per cent. interest, due November 1st, 1890, and title retained.

HENRY E. FAISON, Com'r.
Clinton, N. C., March 5th 1890.

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MISCELLANEOUS:
Hiram Masonic Lodge—J. M. Marshburn, Master, meets every third Friday at 11 o'clock A. M.
Clinton Chapter, No. 40, R. A. M., D. A. Culbreth, H. P., meets every first Friday at 11 o'clock A. M.
Clinton Lodge, No. 124, I. O. O. F., Dr. John A. Stevens, N. G., meets every Tuesday night.
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Y. M. C. A.—A. A. Butler, President. Meets in Courthouse every Monday at 7.30 P. M.

Supreme Courts for 4th, 6th and 7th Judicial Districts, 1890.

JUDGES (Resident.)
4th District, Spier Whitaker; Wake.
6th " E. T. Boykin, Sampson.
7th " J. C. McRea, of Cumberland county.

SOLICITORS.
4th District, T. M. Argo, of Wake.
6th " O. H. Allen, of Lenoir,
7th " Frank McNeill, of Richmond county.

Times for Holding Courts for 1890.

FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
Spring—Judge MacRae.
Fall—Judge Boykin.
Wake—Jan. 6th, Feb. 24th, March 24th, April 21st, July 9th, Aug. 27th, Sept. 22d, Oct. 20th.
Wayne—Jannary 20th, March 10th April 14th, September 8th, October 13th.
Harnett—February 3rd, August 4th, November 24th.
Johnston—February 10th, August 11th, November 10th.

SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
Spring—Judge Graves.
Fall—Judge Armfield.
Pender—March 10th, September 8th.
New Hanover—Jan. 20th, April 13th, September 22nd.
Lenoir—February 3rd. Aug. 10th, November 10th.
Duplin—February 10th, Aug 4th, November 24th.
Sampson—February 24th, April 28th, October 6, December 8th.
Carteret—March 7th, October 20th.
Jones—March 24th, October 27th.
Onslow—March 31st, November 3rd.

SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
Spring—Judge Bynum.
Fall—Judge Graves.
Columbus—January, 13th. March 31st, July 28th.
Anson—January 6th, April 28th, September 1st, November 24th.
Cumberland—January 20th, May 5th, July 21st, November 10th.
Robeson—January 17th, May 19th, September 29th.
Richmond—February 10th, June 2nd, September 15th, December 1st.
Bladen—March 17th, October 30th.
Brunswick—April 7th, September 8th.
Moore—March 3rd, August 11th, October 27th.

Judge Boykin holds court this Spring in the 3rd District, as follows:
Pitt—January 6th, March 17th, June 9th.
Franklin—Jan 20th, April 14th
Wilson—Feb. 3rd, June 2nd.
Vance Feb, 17th, May 19th.
Martin—March 3rd.
Greene—March 31st.
Nash—April 28th.

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CLINTON, N. C.—MAR. 27, 1890.

NEGRO PLOWMAN'S SONG.

BY EDWARD A. OLDHAM, IN CENTURY.

De springtime am er comin' and dis darky's heart am light,
W'en de sap hit gets to runnin' in de trees,
En I wants to be er-laughin' f'om de mornin' t-ill de night.
En er-playin' lak de greenlebes in de breeze,
I feel so monstrous lazy dat I doesn't want ter work,
En dis mule o' mine, he foolin' de row,
'Cuse he feels jis jis like he marster, en he's tryin' fer to shirk,
An I has to larrup him to make him go.

En now I feels lak hummin' on some old time darkey song,
W'ile de mock-n' bird am singin' f'om de hedge;
As de cotton tail go a dartin' frough de sedge;
While up der crick de turkie dove am courtin' ob ts mate,
En de humblebee is bussin' all aroun'
W'ile de martins am er-twitt'rin' at er most amazin' rate,
En de hoss fly am er-frishin' up and down.

I laks to smell de clover as hit tangles in my toes,
En ter see de purty blossoms hyar en dar,
W'ile dogwood buds is bustin' in de low ground whar dey grows,
En de honeysuckle sweeten all de air,
En soon de juicy peaches will be druppin' ter de groun',
En the red-streaked apple tumble too,
Den de curl on de melon vine will turn er golden brown,
Er layin in de sunshine en de dew.

SAMPSON'S BILL ARP.

The Tricky Politician—The Office After the Man—The Abdominal Consternation of a Raw Potatoe—The Twin Brothers, Tax Collector and Merchant.

[Special Correspondence to THE CAUCASIAN.]

I understand Plow, you are after office, and you are getting to be mighty circumspect about what you say about your neighbors. You are going around to all the big meetings making Sunday school speeches, kissed so many babies until you have blistered your lips, rode them on your knee until you have worn all the fuze off of your britches, praised all the girls until your tongue has got as slick as an ox's that has been worked with a bridle bit. And you got to be as tricky as a barbed wire fence, or farmer Smith wheel barrow at the back door. Just step out of a dark night, touch the handles of that wheel barrow, and she will rare up strike you three or four times before you can get away from it, knock you in the wash pot hang you on the clothes line, pinned on with exclamation points to wait the morning breezes to dry and cool off. Look out Plow, somebody is going to steal you before day and you wont be able to tell what has become of yourself, you wont talk to a mans wife unless he is present and then you speak about what a fine looking man he was when he was first married. You want to revive first love when he was kind to his wife, and she thought he was a piece of perfection, and he was certain an angel had taken up her abode with him and come to stay. But you dont say nary word about them cold morning when the fire had to be built, and she punched him in the short ribs as a gentle reminder and he got mad, turned over and pretended like he was asleep. She gets up and builds the fire, and when the room gets warm he crawls out eats his breakfast gets off and don't give her even a smile or kiss. She thinks about it all day, "I wonder if he loves me now." Yes Plow, you are learning you want to make people pleased with themselves and then you think they will like you. Well the first Alligator is a box of potash the second Alligator is a box of potash. And all the other Alligators are boxes of potash, what you make soap with. I am not after no office, every office in the country is after me and surely the millennium is coming when the office seeks the man.

The custom house office is after me in the form of tariff. The Internal revenue office is after me with a direct tax, and every time I take a chew of tobacco to make me enjoy my miseries, or a drink of mean corn whiskey when I am week and feeble to goad me to stir the soil to make the bread to feed my pratting babe, I pay tribute to this eternal god—Tax. Yes I understand the sheriff's office is after me, I am due that office sixteen cents worth of taxes and I have been studying mighty hard how I am going to pay it. You see there is twice brothers in my township. One of them is a merchant, the other the constable, when ever I see one of them, I cant tell who he is, whether he is himself or his brother. I owe one a store account and the other the taxes. Whenever I meet one of them he himself or his brother, says how about that little." I think taxes, so I shell out what little I have, and he pays me off with his personal receipt on store account and nary word said about taxes. And when I meet his brother he hauls the tax-book on me. I get scared and want to run away to Kansas. But I know the taxes are due and they will stop me. If I can get them taxes paid I am an independent community. But I cant do it. They are due with a vengance every year. Its like Bill Smith says, you cant do it no more than catch a but headed bull by thy horns. Well the boys took a tater hill the other day, they had not kept mighty good, its been so warm here lately. They had soter set in a dry rot. I was helping to bed them and see it was done right. But the next time they go to take up taters I am going to leave home for a week, and wait till the storm is over. I would come to a nice yam so I thought how sweet it was, I must bite it. And noticed Jim and John and Joe would bight 'em to. Not thinking for one minute what the result was going to be that night. Way long about mid-night, I had very urgent need for the camphor, humph oh! me. "A pain had struck me across my Lesery," Oh! me, I drank about two table spoonfull of camphor, no ease in that; I waded myself up in a ball and hung over the foot board of the bed, no ease in that; I lay before the fire, no rest there; I drank about a quart of ginger and pepper tea, no rest in that. Then I heard one of the boys in the back room whine out "Oh! Ma, I got the bellie ache," no rest in that. By that time I had become reconciled to my pains and sent the old woman off to attend to the children, both of them had it. They were lying across each other like an X trying to get ease. Bout that time aunt Inah came to the door, and said Joe had the same complaint, and wanted a remedy. The old lady give her some brandy and said do the best you can, every thing here has got it. There is nothing like a raw potatoe for throwing a family into consternation. WITHYO' PLOW.

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NOTICE.

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D. T. JOHNSON,
W. R. HIGHSMITH,
Administrators.
W. S. THOMSON, Att'y.
March 13th, 1890.—6t

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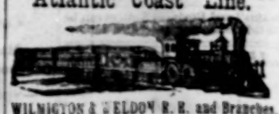

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Lv Weldon.	12 30 p m	5 43 pm	6 00 am
Ar Rock Mt.	1 46 "	7 10 "	
Ar Tarboro,	*3 45 "		
Lv Tarboro,	10 20 "		
Ar Wilson,	2 17 "	7 00 pm	7 43am
Lv Wilson,	*2 30 "		
Ar Selma,	3 40 "		
Ar Fayetteville	6 40 "		
Lv Goldsboro,	3 10 "	7 40 pm	8 35am
Lv Warsaw,	4 10 "	9 34 "	
Lv Magnolia,	4 24 "	8 40 "	9 49 "
Ar Wilmingt'n	5 50 "	9 55 "	11 20 "

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 14. Daily.	No. 78. Daily.	No. 40. Daily ex Sunday.
Lv Wilmingt'n	12 01 am	9 00 am	4 pm
Lv Magnolia,	1 19 "	10 34 "	5 36 "
Lv Warsaw		10 48 "	5 52 "
Ar Goldsboro,	2 18 "	11 45 "	6 53 "
Lv Fetteville		*8 40 "	
Ar Selma		11 00 "	
Ar Wilson		12 10 "	
Lv Wilson	2 59 "	12 37pm	7 47am
Ar Rocky Mt.		1 10 "	8 18 "
Ar Tarboro		*3 45 "	
Lv Tarboro		10 20 am	
Ar Weldon	4 30 "	2 45 pm	9 30 "

*Daily except Sunday.

Train on Scotland Neck Branch leaves Halifax for Scotland Neck 2 30 p m; arrives Scotland Neck at 3 44 p. m., Riverton 6 10 p. m. Returning leaves Riverton 7 20 a. m., Scotland Neck at 10 20 a m, daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh railroad, daily except Sunday, 4 00 p. m., Sunday 3 00 p. m., arrive Williamston, N. C., 6 30 p. m., 4 20 p. m., Plymouth 8 0)p. m., 5 40 p. m. Returning leaves leaves Plymouth, daily except Sunday, 6 00 a. m., Sunday 8 30 a. m, Williamston 7 25 a. m., 9 50 a. m., arrive Tarboro 9 50 a. m., 11 30 a. m.,

Train on Midland, N. C., branch leaves Goldsboro, daily except Sunday, 6 00 a. m. arrive Smithfield, 7 30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield, 8 00 a. m., arrive Goldsboro, 9 30 a. m.,

Train on Nashville branch leaves Rocky Mt, at 3 00 p. m., arrives Nashville 3 40 p. m., Spring Hope 4 15 p. m. Returning leaves Spring Hope 10 00 a. m., Nashville 10 35 a. m., Rocky Mount 11 15 a. m., daily, except Sunday.

Train on Clinton branch leaves Warsaw for clinton, daily, except Sunday, 6 00 p. m., and at 11 10 a m; Returning will leave clinton at 8 20 a m and 3 10 p m, connecting at Warsaw with Nos 41 and 40, 23 and 78.

Southbound train on Wilson & Fayetteville Branch is No, 51, Northbound is No, 50, Daily except Sunday

Train No 27, South, will stop only at Wilson Goldsboro and Magnolia

Train No 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points North, daily. All rail via Richmond, and daily, except Sunday via Bay Line

Trains make close connection for all points north via Richmond and Washington

All trains run solid between Wilmington and Washington, and have Pulman Palace Sleeper attached

Florida Special Vestibule Train No, 501 leaves Weldon Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 9 50 p. m., arriving at Wilmington 2 20 a. m. Tuesdays Thursdays and Saturdays No. 500 leave, Wilmington 1 00 a. m., arriving Weldon 5 37 a. m.

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